DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season; tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·42	8·05	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	12·78	17·53	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort ...		9·20	

Agricultural operations.—Sowing of ragi, avare and cholum.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and sowing operations are going on in parts of all the taluks.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane and til are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Ragi in parts of all the taluks and avare, togari and castor in parts of the Kankanhalli Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Reaping of Vaisakhi paddy crop is going on in parts of the Doddballapur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good, but rain is badly wanted in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Plague is prevailing in parts of all the taluks, except Channapatna and the Closepet Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water, green pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and sowing are being carried on almost everywhere in the district.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Malur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; ragi in the Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks; avare and togari in the Bowringpet, Chintamani and Mulbagal Taluks; haraka in the Sidlaghatta Taluk; and horse gram in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Paddy in the Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in the Kolar, Bowringpet and Sidlaghatta Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Their condition is good in the Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks and fair in the Tumkur, Sira and Pavagada Taluks. It is reported that crops are withering for want of rain in parts of the Maddagiri Taluk.

Crops sown.—Ragi, avare and togari in all the taluks and sub-taluks; navane in the Tumkur and Maddagiri Taluks; samé in the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk; paddy in the Sira Taluk and the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; castor in the Sira and Kunigal Taluks; chillies in the Sira and Gubbi Taluks; cholum in the Kunigal Taluk; hutchellu in the Sira and Kunigal Taluks and groundnuts and haraka in the Pavagada Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; sugar cane in the Kunigal Taluk and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk and *yadagaru* ragi in parts of the Maddagiri Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good, but rain is wanting in most parts of the district. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague prevailing in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, public health is good.

12. It is reported that cattle are suffering from "Chappe roga" in parts of the villages of the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* are reported to be in good condition. It is reported that the Agricultural Inspector is instructing the raiyats near Hosa Agrahar village, Yedatore Taluk, as to how to get red of locusts.

Crops sown.—Paddy in parts of the Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks; and ragi in parts of the Seringapatam, Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and T.-Narsipur, Taluks and the French Rocks Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" prevailing in parts of the Mysore and Nagamangala Taluks, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Paddy is being transplanted in parts of the Hole-Narsipur and Manjarabad Taluks and the Alur Sub-Taluk and raiyats are engaged in agricultural operations.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition:—

In the Hassan Taluk—Paddy, avare, ragi and togari.
In the Manjarabad Taluk—Paddy and ragi.
In the Arkalgud do —Paddy, ragi, togari, tadagani, cholum and til.
In the Belur do —Paddy ragi and sugar cane.
In the Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, castor, chillies and sugar cane.
In the Hole-Narsipur Taluk—Paddy. ragi, til, cholum, togari, castor and avare.
In the Alur Sub-Taluk—Ragi and sugar cane.

It is reported that in parts of Kasba, Banawar and Javagal hoblis of the Arsikere Taluk, til crop is attacked with "Koratu roga," and that more rain is wanted for dry crops in the Kanakatte hobli of the same taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane is being milled in parts of the Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Hassan, Belur, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks, and for small-pox and measles among children in parts of the Arsikere Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in parts of the Dudda hobli, Hassan Taluk, and Doddakadanur hobli, Hole-Narsipur Taluk, cattle are generally healthy. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector has been informed of the disease in the Hassan Taluk and that the disease in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk is only of a sporadic form. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Channagiri Taluk, and harrowing in parts of the Sagar Taluk, and transplanting of paddy in parts of the Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and of chillies in parts of the Shimoga and Honnali Taluks are being carried on.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition :—

Sugar cane in all parts of the district, except Channagiri and Nagar and arecanut in parts of the Sagar, Sorab and Tirthahalli Taluks. It is reported that ragi and cholum crops have been destroyed by grass-hoppers in three villages of the Santebennur hobli and Rangapur village of the Kasaba hobli of the Channagiri Taluk, and in eight villages of the Kasaba hobli of the Honnali Taluk, and that the "Agricultural Chemist has sent his Assistant to advise the raiyats to get rid of the pest," and also that "Kole roga" has appeared in some parts of the Tirthahalli Taluk.

Crops sown.—Ragi, cholum and paddy in the Honnali Taluk and cotton in parts of the Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good. It is reported that plague has appeared in Shimoga town also.

12. Expect for "Dod roga" prevailing in Dindaganahalli, Channagiri Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplanting of paddy is being carried on in Chikmagalur, Koppa, Mudgere, Yedahalli and Sringeri.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition :—

In Chikmagalur—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, garlic, onions, gingelly, coriander, black gram, green gram, cholum, castor, sugar cane and coffee.

In Kadur—Gingelly, coriander, cholum, black gram, green gram, tadagani, castor, sugar cane and ragi.

In Tarikere—Paddy, ragi, cholum, avare, togari, gingelly, coriander, baragu, sugar cane, black gram, green gram and navane.

In Koppa—Paddy, sugar cane and areca.

In Mudgere—Paddy, ragi, coffee, cardamom and areca.

In Yedahalli—Paddy and sugar cane.

In Sringeri—Paddy, sugar cane and areca.

It is reported that more rain is required for the standing crops in the Kadur Taluk.

Crops sown.—Dod ragi in Chikmagalur and Kadur.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are good. But more rain is needed in Kadur. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in a few villages of Chikmagalur and Mudgere and also in Yedahalli Town, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" still prevailing in a few villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops,* such as ragi, cholum, castor, togari, sugar cane, black gram, cotton, sesamum, haraka, sajje, green gram, avare, tadagani and paddy, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sajje, samé, navane, togari, haraka and ragi in the Challakere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are good. But rain is urgently needed both for the standing crops and for sowing. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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